

District Judge for the Northern District of Oklahoma. **Pages S10871, S10905**

Phillip Bond, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Technology.

Anna Mills S. Wagoner, of North Carolina, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of North Carolina for the term of four years.

Margaret M. Chiara, of Michigan, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Michigan for the term of four years.

Robert J. Conrad, Jr., of North Carolina, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of North Carolina for the term of four years.

Thomas C. Gean, of Arkansas, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Arkansas for the term of four years.

James Ming Greenlee, of Mississippi, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Mississippi for the term of four years.

Raymond W. Gruender, of Missouri, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Missouri for the term of four years.

Jay S. Bybee, of Nevada, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Daniel G. Bogden, of Nevada, to be United States Attorney for the District of Nevada for the term of four years.

Thomas M. DiBiagio, of Maryland, to be United States Attorney for the District of Maryland for the term of four years.

Thomas E. Johnston, of West Virginia, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of West Virginia for the term of four years.

Donald W. Washington, of Louisiana, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Louisiana for the term of four years.

Patrick J. Fitzgerald, of Illinois, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois for the term of four years.

John McKay, of Washington, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Washington for the term of four years.

Karl K. Warner II, of West Virginia, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of West Virginia for the term of four years.

John H. Marburger III, of New York, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy.

10 Coast Guard nominations in the rank of admiral.

A routine list in the Coast Guard. **Pages S10904–05**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Arden Bement, Jr., of Indiana, to be Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

Melvin F. Sembler, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Italy.

Robert M. Beecroft, of Maryland, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Head of Mission, Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE), Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Charles Lester Prichard, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Special Envoy for Negotiations with the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK) and United States Representative to the Korean Peninsula Energy Development Organization (KEDO).

John Marshall, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development. **Page S10905**

Measures Placed on Calendar: **Page S10902**

Amendments Submitted: **Pages S10902–03**

Authority for Committees to Meet: **Page S10903**

Privilege of the Floor: **Page S10903**

Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—310) **Pages S10856, S10870–71**

Adjournment: Senate met at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 6:33 p.m., until 10:30 a.m., on Wednesday, October 24, 2001.

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

ANTHRAX EXPOSURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education concluded hearings to assess the public health response to recent anthrax exposures, after receiving testimony from James Caruso, Deputy Assistant Director for Counter Terrorism, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Jeffrey P. Koplan, Director, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services; Bob Kramer, BioPort Corporation, Lansing, Michigan; Thomas Monath, Acambis, Cambridge, England; Mary Kuhn, Bayer Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Hillary Koproski, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Mary Gilchrest, University of Iowa Hygienic Lab, Ames; and Barbara Hunt, Washoe County District Health Department, Reno, Nevada.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Joseph E. Schmitz, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Defense and Sandra L. Pack, of Maryland, to be an

Assistant Secretary of the Army for Financial Management and Comptroller, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of James Gilleran, of California, to be Director of the Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

COUNTERTERRORISM TREATIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings to examine International Convention for the

Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism adopted by the United Nations General Assembly on December 9, 1999, and signed on behalf of the United States of America on January 10, 2000 (Treaty Doc. 106–49), and International Convention for the Suppression of Terrorist Bombings, adopted by the United Nations General Assembly on December 15, 1997, and signed on behalf of the United States of America on January 12, 1998 (Treaty Doc. 106–06), after receiving testimony from Francis X. Taylor, Coordinator for Counterterrorism, and William H. Taft IV, Legal Adviser, both of the Department of State; and Michael Chertoff, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Measures Introduced: 5 public bills, H.R. 3160–3164, and 1 resolution, H. Con. Res. 252, were introduced. **Page H7217**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:
H. Res. 270, providing for consideration of H.R. 3090, to provide tax incentives for economic recovery (H. Rept. 107–252). **Page H7217**

Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Rev. Pete Williams, Harvest Baptist Church of Goldsboro, North Carolina. **Page H7130**

Recess: The House recessed at 12:43 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H7130**

Recess: The House recessed at 4:25 p.m. and reconvened at 6 p.m. **Page H7155**

Moment of Silence in Honor of the Postal Service: The House stood for a moment of silence in honor of the postal service workers who recently lost their lives serving our country and for all members of the postal service. **Page H7157**

Dwight D. Eisenhower Memorial Commission: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of Representatives Thornberry, Moran of Kansas, Moore, and Boswell to the Dwight D. Eisenhower Memorial Commission. **Page H7155**

Members Sworn: Representative-Elect Jeff Miller of Florida and Representative-Elect Stephen Lynch presented themselves in the Well of the House and were administered the Oath of Office by the Speaker. **Pages H7156–57**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Higher Education Relief Opportunities (HERO) for Students Act: H.R. 3086, amended, to provide the Secretary of Education with specific waiver authority to respond to conditions in the national emergency declared by the President of the United States on September 14, 2001 (agreed to by a yeas-and-nays vote of 415 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 395); **Pages H7131–36, H7155–56**

War Bonds Act of 2001: H.R. 2899, amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue War Bonds in support of recovery and response efforts relating to the September 11, 2001 hijackings and attacks on the Pentagon and the World Trade Center. Agreed to amend the title; **Pages H7136–39**

Bioterrorism Enforcement Act: H.R. 3160, to amend the Antiterrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act of 1996 with respect to the responsibilities of the Secretary of Health and Human Services regarding biological agents and toxins, and to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to such agents and toxins (agreed to by a yeas-and-nays vote of 419 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 396); **Pages H7139–43, H7157–58**

Disabled Veterans Service Dog and Health Care Improvement: H.R. 2792, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to make service dogs available to disabled veterans and to make various other improvements in health care benefits provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs; **Pages H7143–47**